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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This is in response to the final Office Action dated May 18, 2006, for which a response is due on August 18, 2006. This response is submitted within two months of the mailing date of the final rejection, and thus expedited procedure is requested. Reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims, as amended, in light of the remarks presented herein are respectfully requested.

No amendments to the claims have been made and the claims are included herein merely for the convenience of the Office.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.